

We handle the finest and largest stock of Mens Women's and Children's fine shoes in town, and are the only firm that handle Exclusive and Special lines, and have every pair of our Men, Women and Childrens fine shoes made to order. If you want the finest and best come to see us.

THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR

Is the dollar you spend with us, because we give the Greatest value for it

Quality is of first importance--quality joined with low prices is the buyers "Klondyke." We keep quality; we sell it at prices that makes your DOLLAR MIGHTY.

Without any fuss or funny business, without any noise or nonsense we are going to put a Magnificent Line of seasonable goods on the market at prices that will make them JUMP.

We MUST have room for our immense fall stock, and to sell QUICK we will sell CHEAP, and a dollar never went so far at anytime, or in anyway, as it goes right now, right here in this store.

CLOSING OUT SHIRT WAISTS

To close out our stock of shirt waists, we will sell them at one-half price.

50 cent Waist for	75 cents.
75 " "	40 "
\$1.00 " "	50 "

CLOSING OUT OXFORDS

To close out our stock of Oxfords, we will sell them at prices that will astonish you.

65 cent Oxfords for	40 cents.
85 " " "	60 "
\$1.00 " " "	75 "
\$1.25 " " "	\$1.00

CLOSING OUT SHOES.

To close out some lines of Men's Fine Calf Shoes, we will "slash" them in the following manner.

\$3.00 Shoes for	\$2.00
\$2.50 " " "	\$1.75
\$2.00 " " "	\$1.50

CLOSING OUT ORGANIES.

To close out our line of Organies, Fancy Lawns and Summer Dress Goods of all kinds, we will offer them at phenomenally low prices.

CLOSING OUT STRAW HATS

To close out our stock of Straw Hats, we will sell them at almost any price.

No Cheap Trash

We have no room for cheap trash and no desire to deal in it. We guarantee that every article in our stock has got the value in it and is worth every cent of the price asked. We sell the kind of goods that improve on close inspection and stand by you like a brother.

BIG CUT IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

CLETONS

Still at the old stand, standing like the rock of Gibralter against high prices and shoddy goods

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.
ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

With the assistance of the war, the gold standard can not keep wheat more than three fingers above the 50 cent mark.

Oscar Turner, Jr., is a candidate for Congress in the Louisville district. He is a son of our old Congressman and is a brainy young man.

His friends claim that ex-Gov. Brown has received petitions signed by thirty thousand voters asking him to become a candidate for Governor, and that he will yield to the pressure and announce.

They want the people of Kentucky to buy a ten thousand dollar set of dishes for the battleship Kentucky, and lots of people who don't own even a tin cup will chip in.—Murray Ledger.

The only impediment to the advance of Miles army in Porto Rico is its inability to supply American flags for every place captured. The General writes home for a supply of stars and stripes.

After all the tear shedding speeches, and heart-soothing resolutions, and sky-scraping editorials it promises just to be a war for more territory. Humanity is not in it, when placed in the scales with dollars and real estate.

At a meeting of the directors of the Manufacturers Association in Chicago resolutions were passed asking the President "to exact that the ports of all Spanish territory in the Pacific ocean be opened upon the most liberal terms to all the products of American industry." To briefly state it, the Illinois manufacturers want free trade. This is a peculiar petition to come from people clamoring for a Chinese wall of protection around the United States.

The Pages had said its piece concerning the congressional nomination and was in good humor with the world and all mankind until Bro. Pike, of the Cadiz Telephone, comes along and threatens to defeat the editor if the state senate, unless he gets a Uriah Heep penitential move on him, with Bill Jones of Princeton. As it is two years until the senatorial election and then four years from that time until a Crittenden Democrat is allowed the exalted privilege of going over the

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CALDWELL SPRINGS.

Miss Essie Bennett has been sick several days.

Mrs Faunie Keon has two geese for sale.

Mrs Jane Oliver has been very sick for some time.

Jehanne Koon is real sick with congenital malaria.

Mrs Jennie Yandell is visiting her friends at Hampton.

Mr Winn Lockett of Henderson attended church here Sunday.

Rev Wells filled Rev W R Gibbs' appointment at this place Sunday.

Mrs Cordie Yandell and her little daughter Gracie have typhoid fever.

Misses Gertrude and Earnings Hawley of Lyon county were visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Next Saturday is the time appointed to clean off the cemetery at Paducah. Everyone who is interested should attend.

We would be glad if a good singing teacher would come to Caldwell Springs. We think he would have no trouble in securing a good class.

Two of our famous baseball players went over with the Eddyville boys to Cadiz last week and crossed bats with the team at that place. They say the Cadiz boys were not in it.

If you want some one to pitch ball for you just send for Hill and Dunbar.

George Koon, our soldier boy who went from this neighborhood, writes from Cuba that he was in the hottest part of the Santiago fight, men were killed all around him but he was not injured. He is now camping three miles from Santiago on a high hill.

Always Delicate

Child Was Nervous and Irritable and Had No Appetite

Hood's Sarsaparilla Has Changed All This—Scrofula Cured.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has had a wonderful success on my little daughter. She is now a year old and has been very delicate all her life. She was nervous and irritable and had no appetite. A large lump would appear on her neck every few weeks and then would disappear, leaving her very weak. We concluded to give her Hood's Sarsaparilla. At that time there was a lump on her neck. When she had taken one bottle it had disappeared altogether and she seemed like a different child. Instead of being cross and fretful she goes about laughing and singing as merrily as any child. We are very grateful for Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. JENNY GAMMER, Bardstown, Kentucky.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. No.

It seems pretty evident from the sentiment we gather that the sovereigns of the county are against a stock law.

Returns from "Citizen's" article in the Pages are beginning to come in rapidly. We already have numerous answers, with a number of preprints to hear from yet.

Mr Wm Barnett and family spent several days at Soutland last week.

Modoc left last Thursday for Lebanon, Tenn., for two weeks vaca-

tion.

Forest Harris has moved to town. He will occupy a part of the T. S. Cox house.

Mrs Ellen Croft and family of Salem spent last week with relatives in town.

Bro Miley will preach here Wednesday night, and then on till Sunday.

Dr. Clement and family went to Mr John Nunn's Friday to be at the family reunion.

Jim Worley is the happiest man in town, little Jimmy, of three days' existence, is at his house.

Quite a number of negroes from this place went to Paducah Monday to their great jubilee day.

Joe Brown expects to quit the hotel business soon. He will take charge of the landing next year.

G B Crawford has threshed 18,000 bushels of wheat and 6,000 bushels of oats this season, and most of it was within bounds of our vicinity.

The stock law is being agitated in our precinct, very much. We think it good for the big land owners but detrimental to the poorer class, and a most pleasant time.

Let no one forget that August 27 is the date of the rally to be held at Bealls Mines church. Everybody invited. Some of the brightest pulpit lights of the church will be present, and deliver addresses.

Nad dogs are getting very numerous in this neighborhood. We are with the boys who are pushing a road tax, but we think we need a dog tax sufficient to do away with all the superfluous canines.

A few years ago there were never as many dogs as there are now. A large number of them have been destroyed by these rabid dogs and now that they have again made their appearance there is no telling what the consequences will be. Let us hope that in the near future we will have laws sufficient to protect our lives and stock. Give us a large enough tax, and the greater number of these worthless and dangerous animals will disappear.

Last Friday morning, when the machine had returned to finish threshing the wheat of Dr. Ike Clement, they soon discovered that some one had secretly taken charge of nine sacks of wheat under the shadow of night, but no definite clew as to the party has been found.

We learn that Mr Oscar Tower is not enjoying good health, we hope to see him well again soon.

Wm Hubbard has just completed a masterly piece of work, which straightens the lower waters of Wolf creek.

I have just been so busy for some time, having had to cook and farm too, that I forgot there was an editor at Marion.

Revs Blackburn and Pickering, of Marion are conducting a meeting at Mt. Olivet. Much interest is being manifested and several souls are being converted.

STONEWALL.

Rev D E Bentely has just returned from Livingston county.

Mr J D Elder is treating his store to a new board roof.

D D Woodson and wife went to Providence Sunday.

J D Elder and family visited in the country yesterday.

Nat Helm and wife, of Nebo, are visiting at Mr H H King's.

Mrs Torrell, of Henderson, is visiting her daughter Mrs E D Boggs.

Mr J B Hubbard, of Marion, visited his mother, Mrs Jane Hubbard, of this place Saturday and Sunday.

J H Lamb, Alex Guess, H. McDowell, Nick Murry and S A Frazer attended lodge at Blackford Saturday.

Mrs Thos A Frazer passed through here Sunday on her way home; she had been visiting her son, Dr. T A Frazer, of Blackford.

Mrs Polly Jacobs' funeral was pre-

pared at Piney Fork on the fifth Sunday. Dr. Fredonia Friday and Saturday.

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HILL SPRINGS

What has become of the Marion people who visited the spring the two last seasons? More anon.

The watering season opened last week with the arrival of a number of families. Commodious white tents cover the hillside West of the spring.

The Hill Spring in the Eastern portion of the county is becoming very noted as a summer resort. The following named citizens and their families are encamped there: Old Doctor, J R Order, Emmet Cooper and family of Hopkinsville, Mrs McChesney of Brownwood, Texas, J S Wyatt, Mrs Lillie Rice, Princeton, J L and J H Hughes, C A Wilson, Z J Order of Texas, and H C Rice.

J E Crider is Captain of the Company. They are all law abiding citizens and need no police force. The only rule is to keep cool and drink all the medicinal water you want, and from all appearances these campers are enjoying this outing.

The water of this spring, according to the testimony of physicians and chemists, possesses qualities of the highest medical value. That it is destined to become a fine watering resort in the near future there can be but little doubt.

YOU MUST have pure blood for good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla if you would **BE WELL.**

SUITS ARE FILED.

Mr. Prow Wants Damage From the I. C. and Mrs. Miller Wants A Divorce

THE ASYLUM VS McDOWELL.

"Three from two you can't," says the schoolboy. Right! Three from two you can't, either in dollars or dividends or sarsaparilla. It takes the best sarsaparilla root to make the best sarsaparilla extract. The best sarsaparilla comes from Honduras, C. A., and the Dr. Ayer Co. practically controls the entire product. Yet others claim to be making "best" sarsaparilla. They must be making it out of the remainder left after subtracting three from two. But, "three from two you can't." You can't make the best sarsaparilla without best root. You only get the best when you

Get Ayer's Sarsaparilla

which is made wholly from the best root imported from Honduras.

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LOCAL BREVIETIES

See the new goods at Fobs'.

Clark & Kevil's hand fertilizer at new mill. It will pay you to get their prices before you buy.

Wm. Herrigan has purchased the L. H. James place, a suburban property of Marion, and moved into it.

J. H. Orme has received a big stock of school supplies of all kinds. See him for books, slates, chalk and tables.

On the 9th marriage license was issued to Held, G. Fritts and Miss Clark, and on the 10th to Fowell and Miss Rosa A.

Mr. Orme had a close call Saturday.

While bathing in Walker's pond he was seized with cramps and convulsions, when his brother, Will, came beneath and succeeded in getting him out.

Bigham passed through Marion on route home from the meeting. His feet were still healing still in progress.

Monday petitions were circulated on the street asking that Reeves' name be placed on the Congressional ballot this fall on the Peoples party ticket, and under the device or emblem of the plow and hammer.

In Parr of Caldwell county was held on Monday. "I can't get along at the Peas, and the Editor, Mr. Brown, can't get along without me." John said, as he paid for two subscriptions and ordered them to his son in Missouri.

Mr. Ed Gray has tendered his resignation as teacher in the Marion graded school, and the trustees have elected Miss Ida Koon, of the Caldwell Springs neighborhood to fill the vacancy. Mr. Gray will attend Jden college.

John F. Howland was in town Tuesday, bearing up under his misfortune like the hero he is. The ball ruined ten acres of fine tobacco for him and materially injured his corn crop; John tells us that these were about the extent of his earthly possessions, and the loss is a severe one for a poor man.

Saturday one of the walls of the spar mine on John Hodges' farm caved in and brick Miller, who was in the mines when the walls began to fall, had a close call, but a rope was convenient and he called lustily to be pulled out, and parties on top pulled promptly, and brick was not broken into bats.

Ex-Sheriff John T. Franks and family expect to leave for Owensesboro, their future home, today. Crittenden county has produced few better men than John Franks, and none stand higher in the estimation of the people among whom he was reared. As an officer he proved to be one of the most popular and satisfactory the county ever had, and as a citizen and man he is universally admired, and his departure from the county is regretted by everybody who knows him, and every citizen of the county knows him. Mr. Franks is a charming woman, and will be greatly missed in the social circles of Marion.

The Press hopes that good fortune will attend them in their new home, and that they will some day return to Marion to live.

CASTORIA. The kind you have always bought.

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The Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum has filed suit against Geo. H. McDowell for board and maintenance from Nov. 1881, until July 1, 1889, for \$3,323.88. McDowell was sent to the asylum from this city on some date between the 1st and 15th of October 1881. All persons who desire to be examined should apply to the secretary of the Board of Examiners at Owensboro, Ky., for application blanks and full information relative to the scope of the examination. Applications on form 101 must be filed in complete form with the Secretary of the Board prior to the hour of closing business on September 1st; otherwise the applicant cannot be examined. Soon after filing applications applicants will be notified as to the exact date of the examination.

Respectfully,
S. W. Adams,
Secretary C. S. B.

Don't Spit on the Sidewalk.

A delegation of ladies called upon the PRESS this week and requested that it enter a protest against the habit the male population has of expectorating tobacco juice upon the side walks. Besides its disgusting appearance, and filthiness in general, it is the greatest source of destruction to the ladies' skirts, and we are sure that if the gentlemen knew the worry, trouble and work it occasioned the ladies they would not be slow to desist. There are other places to spit in safety but did willfully, recklessly and negligently fail and refuse to assist plaintiff in getting off, and only stopped long enough for him to get to the top of the steps, when by the sudden starting of the train he was thrown against the iron guard, bursting and injuring plaintiff's left side, fracturing and splitting one of plaintiff's ribs that he has suffered great and constant pain by reason thereof, and he prays for damages in the sum of \$3000.

Bell's Mines 32: Ford Ferry 0.

The above was the score at the close of the second game the Bell's Mines and Ford Ferry have played this season. On July 2nd Ford Ferry came to Weston and engaged in a game with Bell's Mines. The Bell's Mines boys used their second pine battery and defeated Ford Ferry 39 to 10. They agreed to play again soon, and as the Ford Ferry boys were reported to have made changes in their team, and to be stronger than before, the Bell's Mines took their best battery, Lamb and Nesbitt and went for the game with the above result. The nearest Ford Ferry came to scoring was in the first inning, when Bracey was put out between third and home. The Bell's Mines pitcher struck out the last eight men that went to bat. The Bell's Mines boys all played their usual game in the field and at the bat, as the score shows. The Ford Ferry boys, almost to a man, are perfect gentlemen and do not wrangle or quarrel and quit when they are losing but are game and stay with it to the last. They play better ball than the score shows, and would beat several clubs in the county, if they can't beat Bell's Mines. The game was played at Clementsburg Aug 6th.

A Remedy for Baldness.

The popular groceryman, A. M. Henry, undertook to come from the Springs Sunday, after the rain, in a buggy pulled by a balky horse. He had a woeful time of it, and finally at the last big hill, west of town, just as the hardest shower came, neither coaxing, blows or money would make that old mare go. Ab took the rain with the patience of Job, and in this meditative mood, a happy thought came. Now "Citizen" may have a real grievance, and more than one have heard airing this very grievance. The city tax would perhaps be lowered to acquiesce in as heartless as a hog, and it left to his own inclinations would take his meals in the back yard with the chickens and geese, rather than consume any of his own latent energies in a movement towards cleanliness. Don't spit on the side-walk; expectorate in your pocket first.

TO TEST THE WILL.

The Brothre and Sister of Josh Woodsides Will Fight for that Fortune.

An Opportunity to See Uncle Sam's War Ships.

The legal heirs of the late J. K. Woodsides, who died in Kansas a few weeks ago, willing his estate, estimated at \$40,000, to the Church of the Covenanter at Salem, Ills., will make a fight to break the will. There are seven heirs: P. H. Woodsides, of this place; S. C. Woodsides, who lived in Colorado when last heard of, several years ago; Martha Maxwell of Pinckneyville, Ills.; Nancy F. Moore, of Pilot Knob Mo.; Easter Airt, who is blind and in the poor house at Salem, Ills., and the children of two deceased sisters. Mr. P. H. Woodsides, of this place, recently made a trip to Sparta to endeavor to arrange matters with the church which was made the legatee. He says the pastor of the church agreed to accept one eighth of the estate, letting the brothers and sisters, or their representatives have the seven eighths, but since returning home the church has written him declining to make any agreement, and stating that it will abide by the provisions of the will.

It was ordered that W. M. Ford's and G. Johnson's road precincts be merged into one, and W. M. Ford be continued as overseer.

H. J. Hazel appeared in open court and refused to accept the \$10 damages awarded him by the commission for the furnishing, to the town \$100 worth of lime stone rock, to be delivered in town. Bids will be received until Aug 20.

W. B. Yandell.

Killed in Missouri.

A telegram to his father Saturday briefly stated that Robt. Fritts was killed in the mines at Webb City, Mo. His death was occasioned by an accident, and his body was so badly mangled that it could not be shipped home for burial. He was a son of Mr. Lauze Fritts, of this county; he went to Missouri some years ago, and has been working in the zinc mines there.

Deeds Recorded.

A C Deboe to M R Deboe 40 acres for \$480.

B F James, Jr. to Susan Mitchell 2 acres for \$15.

John H. Morse to Wm. Harrigan, house and land near town for \$1700.

E E Crayne to James Dobbs, lot in Crayneville for \$25.

H L Martin to N B Martin, 62 acres, deed of gift.

Duke R. Faris.

A Good Laundry.

I have the agency at Salem for the Hopkinsville Steam Laundry. All work guaranteed. Will call for your laundry and will deliver it promptly. I will appreciate your patronage.

Duke R. Faris.

Treat yourself to a stylish pair of shoes at Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.**FOR SALE.**

A house and lot in Marion, convenient to school house, will sell at a bargain on easy terms. Also for sale a 7 and a 4 year old mare, both well broken, and a year old mule.

Sam Hurst.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

The firm of Griffin & Bennett has by mutual consent been dissolved;

persons indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle with cash or note.

Griffin & Bennett.

Dyersburg, Ky., Aug 6, 1898.

Get your clothes from Fobs, the tailor. He has the latest styles in suits and makes a fit.

An Answer to "Citizen," and a Different View of the Much Discussed Situation.

LESS DRUNKENNESS CLAIMED.

ED. PRESS: I note a letter in last issue of the PRESS from "Citizen," who expects considerable on the sale of liquor in our little city. In a literary way the letter is a neat production, showing the writer evidently used great care in producing it, but from a reasonable standpoint it shows a very biased opinion, or latent ignorance of the facts in the case, as regards the sale of liquor; for any one with good common sense knows that during the two and a half years we have been without saloons there has been less disturbance, fewer fights and a less number of cases in court, caused by liquor than during say six months with saloons. Now I do not know how much or how little liquor is sold in the town, yet from "Citizen's" letter it must be enormous, for in his letter he says "it is a universally agreed fact that it is sold practically open and above board every day in the week," in quantities to suit the purchaser. Yet in the same breath he says, "how great or how small a quantity is disposed of I do not know." In fact I hardly think "Citizen" knows of it being disposed of in Marion in any quantity; but perhaps he has heard the bitter murmurings of some unfortunate who could not obtain a few drops of the sparkling fluid, and whose thoughts are bitter because he believes his neighbor could on the very quiet have the sweet privilege of enjoying a mint julep, now and then. These things would rouse and torture a fellow.

Now "Citizen" may have a real grievance, and more than one have heard airing this very grievance. The city tax would perhaps be lowered to satisfy him, but he says with saloons we would have from \$500 to \$1200. But can you find a town more prosperous, or with the chickens and geese, rather than consume any of his own latent energies in a movement towards cleanliness. Don't spit on the side-walk; expectorate in your pocket first.

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Suits, Odd Pants,

Straw Hats at Cost.

Dress Goods, Silks

Coats and Vests.

Shoes and Slippers.

and Dry Goods.

Shirts, Underware

and Laces.

White Goods, Belts.

AND EVERYTHING ELSE IN OUR LINE

We are Now Bombarding With Great Bargains.

Low Prices and Good Values to all is our Big Gun.

PIERCE YANDELL GUGGENHEIM COMPANY.

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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

LOCAL BREVITIES

Mr. R. A. Moore will move to Marion in September.

Mr. J. H. Walker, of Henderson, spent Sunday in Marion.

Messrs O. M. James and Thomas Clifton spent Sunday at Dawson.

Miss Mary Hurst, of Marion, Ala., is the guest of friends in Marion.

Mr Charles Browning and family, of Evansville, are guests of friends in Marion.

"Uncle" Bazewell Butler was in town Monday for the first time in two years.

Mrs W. D. Wallingford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Noggle, at De-Koven.

Mr. H. C. Moore and wife of Hopkinsville were the guests of his mother Saturday and Sunday.

Dr James F. Roseco and family, of Christian county, are visiting the family of Mr. J. B. Keill.

Persons having clover they desire hulled should notify J. P. Pierce. He has a haller and is ready for the business.

New Clothing at Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Mrs Martha Montgomery and Miss Matia Barnhill of Providence, Ky., are visiting the family of Mr. J. B. Keill.

Rev. Mr. Collins, a missionary to Mexico, will preach in the Cumberland Presbyterian church at this place tonight.

The old reliable barber shop, next door to the post office, does the best and cheapest work. Hair cut 15cts shave 10, shampoos 15, seafoam 10.

Mr O. I. Ong of Ulster has rented Mrs Loving's residence at this place. He comes for the purpose of sending his children to school.

Mr F. J. Clement returned to Tex as last week, after spending some months here. He will take charge of a school in Texas.

There has been a big demand for houses in town the past few weeks, and every residence has been rented to people who will come to town to send their children to school.

Mr. J. H. Morse has a new girl baby at his house. This is not altogether a new experience with John, consequently he is bearing the honor with becoming dignity and appropriate grace.

Miss Pearl Cook is visiting friends in Madisonville.

Hair cut 15cts at Vickers & Williams barber shop.

On the 8th marriage license was issued to Joseph Hopson and Miss Perthena Ho'oman.

Miss Alice Browning went to Livingston county Monday to do some soliciting for the school. Miss Browning is not only a good teacher, but a good solicitor.

The Press and either of the following four papers one year for \$1.25 Louisville Dispatch, Louisville Commercial, Courier-Journal, New York Tribune.

Mr. J. H. Yandell has the contract for building a new residence for Mr. L. F. White on the latter's farm. It will be a five room cottage, finished in good style.

Any one traveling over the country now would note the great quantity of stock pens growing. The farmers are finding out that this crop is easily raised, and is very superior as feed for stock.

Messrs. Willie Law and Frost Parent left Indianapolis last week to come to this county on a tandem. When they reached Evansville they concluded to try steamboat riding the remainder of the way. They are visiting Col. A. D. McFee's family.

The horses swappers were out in full force on Monday, and there was a lively exchange of "hoss feeh." Two good horses were put up for sale and the highest price bid was \$35. Horses are probably lower in the county now than ever before.

Another Crittenden county boy has been heard from in Texas. Sandy Dean is the favorite of fortune this time; his wife has presented him with a pair of as fine boys as ever peeped at the light of day in the lone star state. Texas is a great state, especially that portion of it peopled by Kentuckians.

The road workers have been putting in time the past two weeks. Almost every road has had a working.

We hear of some overseers complaining that they have used up the six days provided by law and their men still needs more work. While the hands can not be forced to work more than six days, except in cases of emergency, nobody is going to kick if they put in twelve days.

All persons indebted to me must come forward and settle without delay if they want to save cost, I have purchased a piece of land and am bound to pay for it; my money is in the hands of those who owe me, and I must have it at once. This is the last warning, and while I regret it, necessity will compel me to collect by law.

J. L. Rankin,
Fords Ferry, Ky., Aug. 9, 1898.

Fine Apples.

Walter Wilson has our thanks for some great big apples—the Shaffer and Ollie James variety.—Murray Ledger.

Our Soldier-Boys Write

CAMP GEO. H. THOMAS, CHICKAMAUGA, July 26.—Tonight my mind wonders back to the scene of my boyhood and I take advantage of an opportunity to speak through your columns of military affairs in the Third Kentucky Regiment. The first army corps under command of Maj. Gen. Brooke was ordered to proceed to Porto Rico several days ago, both the First and Third Kentucky were in the first corps, first division and third brigade. The First division is commanded by Gen. J. H. Wilson and the Third brigade (ours) is commanded by Gen. Fred D. Grant who bears an excellent resemblance to his illustrious teacher.

Several days ago the first brigade under Gen. Ernst left here for Chattanooga, S. C., early last week, the Second brigade under Gen. Haines, left for Newport News. The Third has been expecting orders for the past ten days to move. This morning at 7:00 o'clock we received orders to break camp, get in heavy marching order and march to Rossville, Ga., (10 miles distant) where we would take the train for Newport News.

The wildest enthusiasm prevailed among the Kentucky boys, at dinner time we had orders to pitch tents again until tomorrow. We now have orders to break camp at 3:30 tomorrow morning. Gen. Grant with the First Kentucky boys left this evening. The Fifth Illinois and Third Kentucky will follow in the morning.

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On our way here we were greeted with cheers and many "God bless you boys" all along the route. At most every station along the route ladies gave out sandwichs, cakes, pie fruits and coffee. The trip from Chickamauga was a delightful one on our arrival here we were greeted by the city with cheers; we found the First Kentucky here, we went into camp immediately. We are camped on the bank of the James river, which is eight miles wide and salt water, and just out of the city limits. The boys were out and glad to get on "terra firma" again.

At dinner time the W. C. T. U. people sent two large barrels of soap, with cakes and coffee out to us which was duly appreciated. And now, a word about Newport News, Va. I have long wanted to visit this spot. It is a garden spot. The people are hospitable and kind. At present our brigades are burning in the company streets and the boys are singing familiar songs and making merry. Many of the boys do not seem to realize that they are going far into a foreign country, perhaps never to return.

Yet the thoughts of never returning does not deter any one from willingly wanting to go. You would have to travel a long distance to find a happier lot of boys than the Third Kentucky tonight. We realize the hardships and dangers that confront us. And now allow us to add. Our friends, we trust, have been led to expect much from the Third Kentucky. Our regiment has a reputation second to none in the camp here, and Co K, of Paducah has the reputation of being the crack company in the regiment. We have spent a most delightful time at Chickamauga Park. This is a most pictureque and beautiful

certain indication that the commander in chief of the army does not intend to use us all. We have no drill this morning because of the rainy weather.

Some foolish rumors of yellow fever have been started, but on investigation I find them totally without foundation.

The W. J. Bryan regiment is in camp at Parrimore, three miles north of us, I went up Saturday and found him uncomfortable, sitting in his tent.

Yours truly,

John Woody.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 8, 1898.

Cousin Sam: I will write you a few lines after our three days hard fighting to let you know that I am well. I went through without a scratch, while they were falling all around me. My battery was located within five hundred yards of Spanish trenches; one of our men and three of our horses were killed in less than twenty minutes. The bullets were so thick we could not get a good breath. Don't say the Spaniards won't fight if they can get into a ditch, for I know they will, but we can whip them all the same. Our artillery is in camp now, three miles from the city and the infantry is within two miles. We will make another attack on them tomorrow at 12 o'clock and take the city if they don't surrender; we have done good work with our artillery. They have our infantry and we moved our battery up on hill and tore their block house all to griblets with six shots.

I would write more but have not the time, can see dozens of soldiers all around me; I am not hurt yet and think I will come out all right, as I have faith in God and believe his protecting care is over me. Will write as often as I can, you must write me all the news.

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DEAR EDITOR: I wish a small space in your paper this week.

Time drags rather heavy in camp life, but when we get a "pass" and go to the city we have a pretty good time. For instance the army surgeon have laid a strict blockade against watermelons and pines, and do not allow us to cross the guard lines; but when we go down town we eat all of those articles we can hold.

The Baby McKee, the smallest torpedo boat in the navy, was in Jacksonville for two or three days last week, on her way to join the fleet in Cuban waters. She was visited by thousands during her stay, there being a crowd continually on her decks.

Saturday the filibuster Davy Crockett came into port and will be here for some time for repairs. A German harque, the Lina, lay out in mid stream in the river; she is the largest sail vessel ever in Jacksonville. She is a barque that was abandoned by her crew in West Indian waters because of stress of weather. She was picked up by the filibuster Three Friends, and brought in here, where she is being refitted and will be sold to the government. The Three Friends is now in quarantine at the mouth of the river, and will be out in a day or two.

A prisoner was sent from here yesterday morning to the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He belongs to Company A, and was convicted by court martial of stealing \$30 from his tent mate and was sentenced to nine months in prison, forfeiture of pay, and a dishonorable discharge.

Several men were bucked and gagged in the guard house in the last few days, but none from Company F, however, and many are being put in for very trivial offenses. A great deal of ugly feeling is being engendered against the officers among the men by such unnecessary severity.

Dress parade every evening has been discontinued, as we are told by recommendation of General Miles, and I also understand that he has recommended that battalion drill be discontinued. If this be the case it is

Sheriff's Notice.

I, or my deputy will be at the following places and for the purpose of collecting taxes. The appointments required by law, and are made for the convenience of the people, and in complying with the law, I expect the tax to be on hand ready to settle. There is no need of the payment of your taxes:

Lewis, Tuesday Aug. 9, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Sheridan, Wednesday Aug. 10, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Tolu, Thursday Aug. 11, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Weston, Friday Aug. 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Rutherford School House, Tuesday Aug. 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Nunn's Switch, Wednesday Aug. 14, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Shady Grove, Thursday Aug. 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Iron Hill, Friday Aug. 16, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Jno T. Pickens, S. C. C.

At it Again.

I am again in business at the old stand, next door to the post office, with

A CLEAN FRESH STOCK OF GROCERIES

and no man in town will treat you better, sell you goods cheaper or appreciate your patronage more than myself, I have

RESTAURANT

and am prepared to furnish you splendid meals or lunches on short notice. Don't forget me, when you are in town.

G. F. Williams.

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TO OLD POINT COMFORT

AND THE SEA SHORE,

Tuesday August 16, 1898.

Farm for Sale.

I have about 220 acres of land in a good neighborhood, near school, church and mills, 1 mile from spring mine, 4 miles northwest of Marion, county seat and railroad town, eight miles of Ohio river. The land is about one half cleared, balance timber; good wheat, corn and tobacco land, good place for stock, plenty of good timber, water in horse lot, well in yard; have clover and grass, fruit of nearly all kinds, good house and barn, nice gardens, and many things

space forbids to mention here; would sell in lots or parcels as it is susceptible of division. Age and poor health will compel me to quit the farm and if you apply soon will secure a great bargain. Should you want it would sell farm equipment in a lump very cheap; can give possession at any time. For full particular call at farm or write to

J. B. Gill, Marion Ky.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once."

For sale by J. H. Orme.

Novelties in shoes not found anywhere at Pierce, Yandell, Guggenheim Co.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at J. H. Orme's drugstore. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Sleeping car rates will be \$4.00 for berth, Louisville to Old Point, to be occupied by one or two persons, and application for sleeping car space should be made at once to W. A. Wilgus, S. P. A., Hopkinsville, Ky. For further particulars, address as above or call on Agent I. C. Ballard.